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CRIMINAL DIVISION - MR. MURRAY STEIN

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SUBJECT: ATTORNEY GENERAL'S INVITATION TO FRG JUSTICE
MINISTER; NEW U.S./FRG EXTRADITION TREATY

REFS: (A) BONN 6732; (B) BONN 3795; (C) BONN A-66 OF
MARCH 4, 1977; (D) BONN 4511

1. EMBOFF ON MAY 11 DELIVERED TO OFFICE OF FRG JUSTICE
MINISTER VOGEL THE ORIGINAL LETTER TO VOGEL FROM
ATTORNEY GENERAL BELL TRANSMITTING INVITATION FOR
OFFICIAL VISIT BY VOGEL.
2. IN VOGEL'S ABSENCE, HIS ASSISTANTS EXPRESSED
APPRECIATION FOR INVITATION. THEY DID NOT BELIEVE VOGEL
WOULD WISH TO VISIT THE U.S. BEFORE FALL 1977, POSSIBLY
OCTOBER, AND UNDERTOOK TO INFORM EMBASSY AS SOON AS
THEY HAVE MORE SPECIFIC INFORMATION ABOUT VOGEL'S
PREFERENCES.
3. IT WILL BE RECALLED THAT POSSIBLE SIGNING OF NEW
U.S./FRG EXTRADITION TREATY BY ATTORNEY GENERAL BELL

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AND JUSTICE MINISTER VOGEL DURING LATTER'S VISIT IN
WASHINGTON HAS BEEN UNDER CONSIDERATION. A CHECK WITH
JUSTICE MINISTRY REP (WALTER) REVEALS THAT THE COMPETENT
JUSTICE OFFICIALS HAVE VERY LITTLE TIME BEFORE SUMMER
VACATION PERIOD (EARLY JULY TO AUGUST 22) IN WHICH TO
DISCUSS REMAINING OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS ON NEW U.S./FRG
EXTRADITION TREATY. WALTER PROPOSED WEEK OF JUNE 13-17

AS ONLY PERIOD FREE FOR MEETINGS NECESSARY TO
ACHIEVE FINAL AGREEMENT ON TREATY TEXT. THIS WOULD
LEAVE THE SUMMER PERIOD FOR FINAL CHECK OF TWO LANGUAGE
VERSIONS BY DEPARTMENT AND FOREIGN OFFICE LANGUAGE
SERVICES, AND LATE SUMMER/EARLY FALL FOR ANY REMAINING
PROBLEMS, INCLUDING TYPING ARRANGEMENTS AND OTHER
REQUIREMENTS OF TREATY AFFAIRS SECTIONS.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: IN LIGHT OF ABOVE, EMBASSY
REQUESTS GUIDANCE SOUGHT REFTEL AS SOON BEFORE JUNE 13
AS POSSIBLE.
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